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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Previously Presented) A method for providing customizable client aware content aggregation and rendering in a portal server, comprising:

receiving a request, by the portal server, to provide a first channel of content and a second channel of content;

obtaining a first markup of the first channel of content and a second markup of the second channel of content, wherein the first markup is encoded in a generic markup language and the second markup is encoded in a device-specific markup language associated with an access device;

forwarding the first markup to a rendering engine to obtain a third markup of the first channel of content, wherein the third markup is encoded in the device-specific markup language;

aggregating the second markup and the third markup to create a front page; and communicating the front page to the access device.

- 2. (Cancelled)
- 3. (Cancelled)
- 4. (Cancelled)
- 5. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the rendering engine creates the third markup using a file path pointing to the device-specific markup language.
- 6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, wherein the generic markup language is abstract markup language.

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- 7. (Withdrawn)
- 8. (Cancelled)

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22. (Cancelled)
23. (Cancelled)
24. (Cancelled)
25. (Withdrawn)
26. (Withdrawn)
27. (Cancelled)
28 (New) The method of claim 1, wherein the third markup is dynamically rendered at runtime

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when the access device is in use.

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29. (New) A computer usable medium comprising instructions embodied thereon to perform:

- receiving a request, by the portal server, to provide a first channel of content and a second channel of content;
- obtaining a first markup of the first channel of content and a second markup of the second channel of content, wherein the first markup is encoded in a generic markup language and the second markup is encoded in a device-specific markup language associated with an access device;
- forwarding the first markup to a rendering engine to obtain a third markup of the first channel of content, wherein the third markup is encoded in the device-specific markup language;
- aggregating the second markup and the third markup to create a front page; and communicating the front page to the access device.
- 30. (New) The computer usable medium of claim 29, wherein the rendering engine creates the third markup using a file path pointing to the device-specific markup language.
- 31. (New) The computer usable medium of claim 29, wherein the generic markup language is abstract markup language.
- 32. (New) The computer usable medium of claim 29, wherein the third markup is dynamically rendered at runtime when the access device is in use.
- 33. (New) A computer system comprising a processor and memory, wherein instructions are stored in memory and the processor is configured to execute instructions to perform:
 - receiving a request, by the portal server, to provide a first channel of content and a second channel of content;
 - obtaining a first markup of the first channel of content and a second markup of the second channel of content, wherein the first markup is encoded in a generic markup language and the second markup is encoded in a device-specific markup language associated with an access device;
 - forwarding the first markup to a rendering engine to obtain a third markup of the first channel of content, wherein the third markup is encoded in the device-specific markup language;

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aggregating the second markup and the third markup to create a front page; and communicating the front page to the access device.

- 34. (New) The computer system of claim 33, wherein the rendering engine creates the third markup using a file path pointing to the device-specific markup language.
- 35. (New) The computer system of claim 33, wherein the generic markup language is abstract markup language.
- 36. (New) The computer system of claim 33, wherein the third markup is dynamically rendered at runtime when the access device is in use.

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